

**Amendments to the Claims:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A support device ~~(1, 101)~~ designed to be installed between an aircraft engine and an associated thrust reverser, this device being provided with a means of support capable of supporting at least one fire-detection component produced in the form of a capillary ~~(3)~~, ~~said device being characterized in that~~, wherein the means of support comprises at least two holding members ~~(18)~~ capable of being assembled to each other detachably.

2. (Currently Amended) The support device ~~(1, 101)~~ as claimed in claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the means of support comprises two holding members each made in the form of a half-cylindrical body ~~(18)~~.

3. (Currently Amended) The support device ~~(1, 101)~~ as claimed in claim 2, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein each body ~~(18)~~ has a flat face ~~(19)~~ provided with at least one longitudinal furrow ~~(20)~~ in which a fire-detection capillary ~~(3)~~ can be placed.

4. (Currently Amended) The support device ~~(1, 101)~~ as claimed in ~~either of~~ ~~claims 2 and 3~~, ~~characterized in that~~ claim 2, wherein each body ~~(18)~~ has a side wall in which longitudinal recesses ~~(21)~~ are formed.

5. (Currently Amended) The support device ~~(1, 101)~~ as claimed in claim 4, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein each longitudinal recess is enclosed by two end shoulders ~~(22)~~.

6. (Currently Amended) The support device ~~(1, 101)~~ as claimed in ~~any one of~~ ~~claims 1-5~~, ~~characterized in that~~ claim 1, wherein it comprises at least two metal shells ~~(25)~~ that can be arranged around the holding members ~~(18)~~.

7. (Currently Amended) The support device ~~(1, 101)~~ as claimed in claim 6, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein each shell ~~(25)~~ is made in the form of a part capable of fitting

around part of the exterior of the holding members ~~(18)~~.

8. (Currently Amended) The support device ~~(1, 101)~~ as claimed in ~~either of~~ ~~claims 6 and 7, characterized in that~~ claim 6, wherein it comprises a clip holder ~~(29)~~ capable of being positioned at least partially around the shells ~~(25)~~.

9. (Currently Amended) The support device ~~(1, 101)~~ as claimed in claim 8, ~~wherein comprised in that~~ each shell ~~(25)~~ comprises at least one slot ~~(26)~~ into which the clip holder ~~(29)~~ can be partially inserted.

10. (Currently Amended) The support device ~~(1, 101)~~ according to ~~any one of~~ ~~claims 1-9, characterized in that~~ claim 1, wherein it comprises a spring clip ~~(13)~~ in which the holder members ~~(18)~~ can be engaged.

11. (Currently Amended) The support device ~~(1, 101)~~ as claimed in claim 10, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the spring clip ~~(13)~~ rests on an intermediate mount ~~(10)~~ that bears on an anchor plate ~~(4)~~.

12. (Currently Amended) The support device ~~(101)~~ as claimed in claim 11, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the spring clip ~~(13)~~ is attached to the anchor plate by a cable ~~(109)~~ passing through the intermediate mount ~~(10)~~.